

# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 834

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Tiffany Wilson-Mobley on her selection as the Williamson County Elementary Teacher of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Wilson-Mobley is one such estimable educator who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Wilson-Mobley was recently selected as the Elementary Teacher of the Year for Williamson County, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, she is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, she serves with acumen and alacrity as Fairview Elementary's English as a Second Language (ESL) teacher; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Wilson-Mobley has served English Language Learner (ELL) students from kindergarten through twelfth grade, their teachers, and the Fairview/Pinewood community since 2005; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Wilson-Mobley began an adult ESL/Family Literacy class for the town in 2009, which was designed for the parents of ELL students; approximately ten to fifteen ELL adults and their children voluntarily attend this class weekly so they can continue to improve their English; and

WHEREAS, before serving in Fairview's schools, Mrs. Wilson-Mobley taught high school ELL students, primarily at Brentwood High School and Ravenwood High School, beginning in 2001; and

WHEREAS, prior to public school, Tiffany taught adult ESL courses at the International English Institute in Nashville and English, Writing, and ESL courses for the University of Kentucky in Lexington; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Mrs. Wilson-Mobley earned National Board Certification in Teaching English as a New Language (Early and Middle Childhood) in 2011-12, and she was also named the Fairview Elementary School Teacher of the Year; and

WHEREAS, her numerous accomplishments aside, Tiffany is deeply devoted to her family and she always endeavors to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, she is perhaps most proud of the love and companionship she shares with her husband of eighteen years, Elmer Mobley, and her two daughters, Lily and Rosalie; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Wilson-Mobley truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Wilson-Mobley epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Tiffany Wilson-Mobley on being chosen as the Williamson County Elementary Teacher of the Year, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.